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More of the Gorilla.

We have already laid before our readers some interesting extracts from M. du Chaillu's work—"Equatorial Africa and its inhabitants," principally concerning the Gorilla and that terrible variety of the ant-tribe the Bashikouay. In the *Westminster Review* for July we find a summary of the author's remarks upon the Gorilla, a portion of which we here give as follows:

The Gorilla is a quadrumanous animal, whose height, when erect, usually varies from 5 feet 2 inches to 5 feet 8 inches, although one skeleton is said to exist reaching 6 feet 2 inches. If we understand du Chaillu rightly, these measurements extend to the tip of the toe instead of to the heel, according to the method by which the height of human beings is taken; if so, the average stature of the animal is several inches less than that of man. The color of the gorilla's skin is an intense black; but the male animal, on being viewed at a short distance, does not appear thus black, because he is covered with hair the color of which, nearly all over the body, is a sort of iron grey,—its peculiarity being due to the fact that the individual hairs are ringed alternately black and grey. The head is covered with reddish brown hair, short and extending almost to the neck. The reddish crown which covers the scalp of the male is not apparent in the female till she is almost grown up; her hair is black, with a decided tinge of red, and not ringed as in the male. In both male and female the anterior part of the chest is bare, and in both the hairs is found to be worn off the back, but only in very old females. It is supposed that this is due to their sitting at night with their backs resting against trees, under which they sleep.

The longest and darkest hair—sometimes over two inches long—is on the arms; from the shoulder to the elbow it grows downwards, on the fore-arm it grows upward. The back of the hand is hairy as far as the division of the fingers, those, as in man, being covered with short thin hairs. The lower, or posterior extremities, are also thickly covered with hair, which on the foot extends to the division of the toes. Very old gorillas, the negroes say, become grey all over. Compared with the other anthropoid apes, the gorilla, owing to his enormous supra-orbital ridge, seems to have a remarkably flat and retreating forehead. He has an immense, overhanging frontal ridge, and the eyes are deeply sunken, thus giving to the face the expression of a constant savage scowl. The jaws are exceedingly projecting, of great weight and tremendous power, and in the male are furnished with enormous canine teeth, approaching to the character of tusks. "The eyebrows are thin but not well defined, and are almost lost in the hair of the scalp. The eyelashes are thin also. The eyes are wide apart; the ears are smaller than those of man, and in form closely resemble the human ear. They are almost on the same parallel with the eyes. On a front view of the face, the nose is flat, but somewhat prominent, more so than any other ape."

The shoulders are extraordinarily broad, and the chest immense; the pectoral regions in the male show slightly projecting a pair of nipples as in other apes and in the human species. The female mammæ have but a slight development. The abdomen is very large and prominent. The arms are enormously strong, and reach all but down to the knees. The forearm is nearly of uniform size from the wrist to the elbow. The legs are remarkably short, and nearly destitute of calf. The hands, especially in the male, are of immense size, the fingers short and thick, "the circumference of the middle finger at the first joint being in some gorillas over six inches." The thumb is shorter than in man, and not half so thick as the fore-finger. The foot, though longer than the hand, is broad, and looks somewhat like a giant hand of immense power and grasp. The great toe, or "hallux," reaches only to the end of the first phalanx of the second toe, and diverges from the other toes in an angle of 60° from the axis of the foot. In both position and function it is a true thumb. Each of its toe joints measured, in one specimen, six and a half inches in circumference. The second, third, and fourth toes are partly united by a web.

The gorilla usually walks on all-fours; the arms being very long the head and breast are raised considerably, and he appears, as he proceeds, to be half erect. He does not place the palm of his hand on the ground, but the backs of the fingers, which are semi-flexed, the skin on the middle phalanx and knuckles being, in consequence, callous and very thick. M. du Challu says that the leg and arm on the same side move together, which gives the beast a curious waddle; also that the hind legs move between the arms, the latter being somewhat bowed outward. The gorilla can run at great speed; although he ordinarily progresses on all-fours, he not unfrequently walks erect, and there is no doubt, says M. du Chaillu, that he can do so with greater ease and for a longer time than either the chimpanzee or nshiego-mbouvé. When standing up, his knees are bent at the joints outwards, and his back has a stoop forward. Proceeding in this position, his legs seem to totter beneath his weight, and he uses his long arms in a clumsy way to balance himself and keep up his ill-sustained equilibrium. The strength of the gorilla is enormous: with his arms he can break trees from four to six inches in diameter; and with one blow of his huge paw, armed with its nails, he easily breaks the breastbone of a man, crushes his skull or tears out his entrails. M. du Chaillu says that a negro, while out hunting with him, attempted to shoot a male gorilla, that his gun missed fire, and that being then defenseless, he was instantly struck down by a blow on the abdomen, the walls of which were torn open, laying bare part of the intestines. Beside the negro lay his gun; the stock was broken, and the barrel was not only bent but flattened. This flattening affords conclusive evidence of the enormous strength of the animal's jaw, and of his temporal muscles, as the barrel bore plainly the marks of his teeth.

The only sounds uttered by the female and young which were heard by M. du Chaillu, were sudden cries or shrieks expressive of alarm when intruded upon; the male when disturbed emits "several sharp barks like an enraged or mad dog, whereupon ensues a long, deeply guttural, rolling roar, continued for over a minute, and which, doubled and multiplied by the surrounding echoes of the forest, fills the hunter's ears with the deep-rolling thunder of an approaching storm. * * * I have reason to believe," he adds, "that I have heard this roar at a distance of three miles."

Extraordinary Escape of Two Convicts from Prison.

On Saturday night, the 14th July, two desperate fellows made their escape from Milbank Penitentiary. Three convicts planned the escape, and their operations must have been carried on for several weeks. At a quarter to nine the hammocks in the cells are let down, and by nine all the convicts are in bed, and an open grating in the door of each cell allows the sentry to see that every man is sleeping, while once or twice in each night the cells themselves are entered and examined. The first care, therefore, of the three convicts was to make a perfect dummy with a regular nightcap, which was put in the hammock in the place of the one at work. The next move was to get out the bricks round the ventilator—a task which was rendered doubly perilous from the fact that the bricks are whitewashed, in order to enable the sentries the more readily to detect any attempt to remove them. But the convicts imitated this whitewash, and when they replaced the inner wall of bricks each morning made a composition to resemble mortar, and whitened it all over with the whitening they are supplied with for cleaning their tins, so that the most careful scrutiny in the day failed to detect the aperture. With such exquisite nicety was this done that even after the men were gone, and every one was marvelling how they could have escaped, the opening was not discovered.

As soon as the cellar beyond was gained, the men only worked from one in the morning till about four. In this cellar was another ventilator leading out into the prison grounds, though still within the walls. The convict working at removing the bricks round this ventilator had a string fastened to his waist, the other end of which was held by his companions in the cell. Whenever they heard anything unusual, or thought the sentry was coming to enter the cells, they pulled the string and the convict at work instantly returned throug the narrow hole in the wall, replaced the ventilator and piece of brickwork, and was in his hammock again in a minute. At last all was ready for getting through the walls. The three men, being employed during the day in making up soldiers' greatcoats for the government, had contrived, by little and little, to get together a great quantity of string, which they platted into a long rope ladder, and hid in the cellar. They also managed to get three of the soldiers' greatcoats there also, and Sunday night was fixed for their attempt. The time chosen was between half-past eight and nine, when the men are sent to their cells for the night. After nine, sentries are posted all round the outer walls, so that the men knew they must be away before that hour, or not at all. They accordingly let down the hammocks and two of them put in their dummies with nightcaps on under the clothes. But at this point the heart of the third failed him, and he refused to go. The other two got through the wall into the cellar, where they put on their soldiers' greatcoats.

With the aid of their twine ladder they quickly scaled the inner high prison wall, then the outer, and, running across the grass enclosure near Vauxhall Bridge, climbed the railings and ran away. Just, however, as they cleared the railings a gentleman saw them, and gave information at the prison. The fugitives had taken a Hansom cab, telling the driver to go as fast as he could; but they were soon traced to a public house, where they had changed their clothes, and then left. With this slight clue to show the pursuers that they must no longer attempt to follow their track by their dress, another way was tried, and the fugitives' steps so closely followed that at last the detectives got positive information that the convicts, very respectably dressed in their new clothes, would pass down Brittania street at eleven o'clock. Here, accordingly, the six pursuers concealed themselves, and waited, but still no convicts. At last the warders and police issued out, and as they were in the act of turning the corner of Brittania street, came fully upon the two men, who were walking quickly arm in arm. There was instantly a desperate struggle which taxed the strength and determination of the warders and police, for the men fought, kicked, and bit furiously; but eventually the fellows were captured. Thus they made their escape at nine; an hour afterwards the police were on a certain track; and soon after eleven, in spite of all disguise, were retaken. Fouche's annals, says the *Times*, contain nothing more cleverly managed on both sides than this escape and re-capture.

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G. B WRIGHT,
URIAH NELSON.
Port Douglas, Sept. 20th, 1861. se26 1m

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT O. J. McCAUSLAND is not authorized to do business on my account, as he is no longer in my employ.

se24 WM. P. SAYWARD.

CAUTION.

I HEREBY CAUTION ALL PERSONS against trusting my wife, MARY COONESS, on my account, as I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her from this date.

STACEY COONESS.
Victoria. Sept. 16, 1861. se17 2w*

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NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE SHIP "True Briton" must be sent in immediately to the office of the consignees.

E. STAMP & CO.,
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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT Thomas Newman Inness has neither right, title, or interest to my property on Fort street, or any other property which I own, as the documents in my possession will sufficiently prove.

JOHN BOOTH.
Victoria, Sept 9, 1861 se9

NOTICE.

I HAVE GIVEN MY FULL POWER of Attorney for the management of all my affairs in Vancouver Island and British Columbia to Mr. J. F. McCreight, Barrister at Law, during my absence from this Colony.

GEORGE F. FOSTER.
Victoria, August 30th, 1861. au31 1w

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Victoria, September 23, 1861. se25 3t

NOTICE.

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Wharf Street.
Victoria, 27th August, 1861. au27

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE of the late Captain Archibald Jamieson, of the steamer Cariboo, must be duly attested and lodged with Mr. James Lowe, at his Office in Fidwell's brick building, Yates street, within sixty days from date hereof; and all those who are indebted to the Estate are requested to pay the same to him.

WILLIAM IRVING,
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Victoria, 5th August, 1861. au62m

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

Wednesday Morning, Oct. 2, 1861.

New Attorney-General of British Columbia.

Our late English files bring us confirmation of the appointment of Henry Pering Pellew Crease, Esq., to the honorable and highly important office of Attorney-General of British Columbia. As our readers in "the other province" no doubt are anxious to learn something about the learned gentleman, we volunteer our services to enlighten them. The new appointee is, according to tradition, a member of the Inner Temple. We say tradition, because he certainly belongs to that period in the earth's history when clever men were not required, but by some freak of Dame Nature has been preserved in a remarkably perfect fossil state. Of what use such a rare ante-diluvian specimen can be to British Columbia at this early period of her history, puzzles us teetotally. In this much older community the only use which *it* has served has been to "chock" the wheels of the State-coach, in which Gov. Douglas rides with G. H. Cary, Esq., as coachman, and has consequently prevented the State-car from backing down hill. "Chocks," in wagoner's language, are useful things, so are blockheads. There is very little difference between the two. Yet some cruel people are heartless enough to say that the new Attorney-General combines both in one person. In comparison with the service a carriage performs, a chock occupies a very mean position indeed, useful as it is. And we are forced to say in all truth and soberness that the new Attorney-General—whether from taste, nature, habit, or force of circumstances, or all—has occupied some very mean positions in the politics of Vancouver Island. But the Scripture is now fulfilled where it says—"He who humbleth himself shall be exalted." And as

"Honor and shame from no condition rise,"

the condition whence came the new official is no exception to the rule.

Lest our readers "in the other province" should not be aware of the fact, we would state that their new Attorney General *is* a member of our Assembly. One of the first measures he introduced was a bill to regulate the legal profession. It was lost the first session. This session it has been renewed, and is now somewhere in the archives of the Council. Happily those famous bills exclude all *colonial* lawyers from practising here. British Columbians will doubtless be pleased with this specimen of antediluvian liberality. The comparison once on a time between himself and some Canadian lawyers in Canada was unfavorable. No doubt they were far too inferior to be an equal of one from the Inner Temple. A very good reason then for their exclusion, of which our readers may take note, and be ever after content. Certainly. Why not?

Another feather in the learned counsellor's cap, proving how necessary an auxiliary he will be in a one-man government, lies in the felicitious manner in which he, with his able coadjutors in the House, attempted to muzzle a free and independent press. Not only did he make himself prominent in the muzzling business once, twice and thrice; but he was always waiting for some such liberal effort. Whether it required a smaller amount of brains to distinguish himself in this way, or whether the absence of brains fit for practical legislation caused him to gravitate as his leader wished, we cannot say. If it was the latter, why the absence of the proper stuff to fill a frizzled wig, excuses him from responsibility. Still it does not hide the fact as to what British Columbians may expect from the new head of the bar; and the fact ought not to be kept under a bushel in that "bleak and desolate region," where free discussion is so desirable.

Among other prominent deeds political may be mentioned the famous decision on the scrutiny for Victoria town. Like Satan in Paradise Lost, it was a part of his business when properly rewarded to make "the worse appear the better cause"—so everybody knows how well he served the country—no, not the country, but his clients. But that is gone by, and can only be recollected by those who don't forget. Next we have our new official overturning the law and a solemn decision of an election committee; and when done, the deed was so utterly inexcusable that Mr. Gordon resigned for very shame, and a little of something else.

We have now sketched about all that the member of the Inner Temple has done to distinguish himself. Between him and Franklin the struggle has been to see who could be most cringing, totally insensible to the jeers of the House. But insensibility is a great blessing to some, consequently no ill feeling is entertained between the old and new Attorney General on account of the former insinuating in open court that he would not believe the latter on oath.

Our up-river readers are doubtless anxious to know what "the other province" will do now it has got a new Attorney General. Why, do—lo worse than ever. We recommend the British Columbian Convention to adopt a standing prayer: "Send us, O! Governor! no more new Attorney Generals; for the first was bad, the second worse, and if we change again we will get the devil next." No one blames the new incumbent for accepting £500 a year and pickings unknown. No one blames him; but Gov. Douglas for recommending such an appointment is to blame. He is to blame for taking the barrister who stands professionally the lowest in our bar and making him legal adviser to British Columbia. There is no rational excuse for such an appointment. The thing will not bear argument, so apparent is the injury that will be inflicted.

WHO IS RIGHT?—Mr. Gibbs in his letter took us to task for a contradiction. He put in our mouth these words: "You would bet a thousand dollars that in two years time such a thing as proscription in a place of amusement on account of color would not be known, and people would laugh at the idea." We positively denied ever using the language he quoted. But to prove that we did, Mr. A. C. Richards rushes into print to support Mr. Gibbs, and how well he does it may be seen. Mr. Richards says we said "That in two years nothing of the kind would be heard of and people would laugh at the idea when we have a different population." The contradiction now is between Gibbs and Richards. Richards being Gibbs' authority, Gibbs is proved wrong by his own witness. Who is right? There is not a word about a "bet" or "color" or "proscription" in what Richards says, and every one is left to interpret it as they please.

Something about the Colony of Vancouver Island.

"John Bull," the intelligent London correspondent of the San Francisco *Bulletin*, writes that paper as follows:

A long letter appeared in yesterday's *Times*—the only one for the past six months or more—from its correspondent at Victoria, Vancouver Island. It bitterly complains of the unmitigated dullness of everything in Victoria, which it attributes to the Portland Dalles route conveying the California gold-seekers. The burden of the song, however, is a subsidy from the Imperial Government for a mail steamer between Victoria and San Francisco. I fear, however, there is no chance of getting it. The Government had some difficulty in passing the British Columbia estimates; they were animadverted upon by a leading member of the opposition, (W. Adderley) and the Under Secretary for the Colonies (Mr. Fortescue) very lamely defended it on general principles, such as the youth of the Colony, at the same time intimating that the Colony must be self-supporting, and, according to the *Times* correspondent's letter, Victoria is in such a state as would not justify a good subsidy for her mails. And, indeed, the Colony altogether has been almost forgotten in England. There are other and richer colonies to compete with it, and which offer great inducements to emigrants. Take Queensland, in Australia, for instance, which gives 20 acres of land to every emigrant. The Australian Colonies, or rather the Australian Legislatures, have made liberal grants for assisting emigration. In the face of such a competition, is it any wonder that British Columbia gets no population?

Apropos of this subject, I may mention that I saw a report of a meeting of Directors of the Bank of British North America, in which great dissapointment is expressed at the poor success of that branch of the bank in Victoria, but the Directors have very laudably determined to try the experiment for a longer period. The subject of a railroad is never mentioned. I trust the prospects of the Colony may revive, but it requires a vigorous and a liberal management combined with the strictest economy. You know I know something about colonies—and I do not consider that British Columbia has had a fair chance.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1861.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR VICTORIA District having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, October 1st, 1861. oc2

Boat Found.

BETWEEN RACE ROCKS AND ALbert Head. The owner can have the same on paying expenses and proving property.

If not called for within ten days, she will be sold for the benefit of all concerned. Apply to

J. D. CARROLL,
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Engineers, Iron and Brass Founders.

PLAIN and ORNAMENTAL CASTINGS
Of all Descriptions.
IRON FRONTS, ETC.,
oc2 1m Made to Order.

New Room.

THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY informed that the

NEW ROOM
OF THE
STAR and GARTER HOTEL

Will positively be

OPENED ON WEDNESDAY,

the 2d of October.

☞ Superior Accommodation for Travelers.
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TWINES

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION FOR

FISHING, SAIL-MAKERS, AND DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

SHOE-THREADS AND CANVAS,
FISHING-NETS,
LINES AND SEINES.
BALSTON & CO.,
se17 Manufacturers, Poole-Dorset, England.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Autumn Race Meeting.

A BALL

WILL BE HELD

AT THE LYCEUM,

—ON—

FRIDAY EVENING.

Dancing to commence at 9 o'clock.

☞ Tickets to be had at Mrs. McDONEL'S, Government street—$4 each—which will admit a lady and gentleman.

H. B CAMPBELL,
oc2 Hon'y Secretary.

AUCTION.

SATURDAY, Oct. 5th, 1861,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.

J. A. McCREA

WILL SELL,

ON THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S WHARF,

For account of whom it may concern:

Damaged on Voyage of Importation,

EX TRUE BRITON:

Marked W B N in a diamond—

50 cases Gunpowder, in 1 lb. flasks;

Same mark—

50 cases Gunpowder, in ½ lb. flasks;

Same mark—

7 kegs Shot, 400 lbs. each.

Parties wishing to examine the Powder and Shot can have an opportunity of doing so by application to the Auctioneer.

MONDAY, t. 7th, 1861.

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

I will sell the following Goods,

AT SALESROOM ON WHARF STREET,

For account of whom it may concern,

Damaged on Voyage of Importation,

EX TRUE BRITON:

10 pieces. Grey Cottons;
3 doz. Kersey Pants;
2 pieces Flannel;
7 do. White Cottons;
1 do. Pilot Cloth;
2 do. White Cottons.

—ALSO—

IN ORDER,

An Invoice of Groceries.

—ALSO—

A few cases Boots and Shoes;
A few cases Clothing.

J. A. McCREA,
oc2 Auctioneer.

FOR SALE,

640 GALLONS CAMPHENE, IN BOND.

WILLIAM H WOODCOCK.
New Westminster, Sept. 24th, 1861. se24 1m

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against Mr. HALL, Paymaster of H. M Ship BACCHANTE, will send in their accounts forthwith for settlement.

September 30 1861. oc1 2w

Hops! Hops!!

4 BALES CHOICE ENGLISH HOPS. For sale cheap at Office of

VICTORIA COAL AND LUMBER CO.,
oc1 1m2dp City Wharf.

Royal Hospital.

ON SUNDAY NEXT, SERMONS WILL be preached at Christ Church in aid of the funds of the Royal Hospital—in the Morning by the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Columbia, in the Afternoon by the Rev. E Cridge, and in the Evening by the Venerable the Archdeacon of British Columbia.

A collection will be made after each Sermon.

Hours of Service at 11 A. M., 3 P. M., and 6½ P. M.
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VICTORIA

Coal and Lumber Co.,

CITY WHARF, FOOT OF YATES ST.,

Keep constantly on hand

WOOD AND COAL.

BEST QUALITY OF NANAIMO COAL, screened, free from dust, which will be delivered free of drayage and porterage in any part of the Town, and in quantities to suit, at REDUCED RATES.

—ALSO—

LUMBER, of every description,

BUILDING STONE, BRICK, LIME, ETC.

Cheap for Cash. oc1 1m2dp

THE AGRICULTURAL

—AND—

Horticultural Exhibition

WILL TAKE PLACE ON

WEDNESDAY NEXT,

OCTOBER 2D.

ADMISSION to the Show-yard by Ticket, at 10 A.M Members' Tickets may be had by application to the Treasurer, Mr. James Lowe.

Tickets of admittance for Non-Members can be procured at Hibben & Carswell's Bookstore, Langley Bros. and Searby's Drug Stores, and of the Secretary.

The BAND of H. M. S. Topaze will be in attendance during the Exhibition.

DINNER, AT RINGO'S HOTEL.

Tickets can be had from any Member of the Committee. Guests will take their seats at 6 o'clock, P.M.

se30 td J. T. PIDWELL, Secretary.

RE-OPENED.

THE ROYAL HOTEL RESTAURANT will be Re-opened on MONDAY.
se28 JAMES WILCOX.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Notice of Election.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS of the "Fireman's Protection Act, 1861," and, in accordance with the instructions of the Board of Delegates of the Victoria Fire Department, I hereby give notice that an Election for a Chief and one Assistant Engineer of the said Department will be held at the Delnge Engine Company's House, Government street, on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH, 1861, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 3 o'clock, P. M. The voting will be by ballot, and every enrolled ACTIVE Member of the Department is entitled to one vote for each Officer.

DAVID W. HIGGINS,
President Victoria Fire Department.
VICTORIA, V. I., September 25, 1861.

NOTE.—At a Meeting of the Board of Fire Delegates, held on Monday Evening, 23d inst., Rules under which the Election must be conducted were passed, and the Secretary of the Department was instructed to furnish each Fire Company with a copy of the same for the guidance of its Members.

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Victoria Market.

STALLS IN THIS MARKET FOR THE Sale of Fruit, Fish, Vegetables, Butcher Meat, etc., may now be leased by the month or year, and the choice of Stalls will be in the order in which they are applied for

For the accommodation of parties only making occasional sales of their produce, a few stalls will be reserved to let by the day.

Arrangements are about to be made for a Farmer's Weekly Market, and also for Auction Sales of Stock, Hay, etc., at stated periods.

A Plan of the Market may be seen at the Office of the Company, Government street

JOHN J. COCHRANE,
au29 tf Secretary.

Vancouver Island Colony.

VICTORIA STREETS.

TENDERS will be received at the Land Office until the 5th of next month, to deliver where required along the line of Store, Discovery, and Constance streets, unbroken stone for paving by the cubic yard.

TENDERS will also be received at the Land Office, during same time, to grade, pave and gravel a portion of Douglas street, as shown by plans and specifications which may be seen at the Land Office.

All Tenders to be by letter, sealed, distinctly endorsed, and addressed to

J. DESPARD PEMBERTON,
Surveyor General.
Land Office, Victoria, Sept 25, 1861. se26 1w

ALBION SALOON.

PERRETT & TIGHE, Proprietors,

N. W. Corner of Yates and Waddington Sts.

THE PROPRIETORS OF THIS NEW SALOON beg most respectfully to inform their friends and customers, that having opened in their new building, they are now prepared to supply them with

Wines, Liquors, Ales & Cigars,

OF THE FINEST QUALITY.

The upper story of the building will be fitted up as SLEEPING APARTMENTS for the accommodation of guests.

HOT LUNCH EVERY DAY.

se24 PERRETT & TIGHE.

HENRY NATHAN,

9 WHARF STREET,

OFFERS FOR SALE, IN LOTS TO SUIT:

HOSIERY—Socks, Stays, Corsets Woolen, Fancy Regatta and White long cloth Shirts; Cotton, Merino and Woolen Undershirts and Drawers; Black and Fancy Silk Neck Ties.

BOOTS AND SHOES—Ladies' and Gents', assorted.

CLOTHING—Angola Suits, Shooting Coats, Alpacca Sacs, D'Orsy Morning Coats; Leghorn, Panama and Felt Hats.

DRAPERY—Merinos, Alpacas, Coburgs, Muslins. Prints, Scotch Ginghams, Bareges, Skirtings, etc.

OILMEN'S STORES—Pie Fruits, Sauces, Mustard, Biscuits, etc.

Assorted Table Cutlery, Plated Ware, etc.

Boiled Linseed Oil and Bright Varnish, in bulk.

BRANDY—Martells and other brands, in bulk.

RUM—Fine Jamaica, O. P.

WHISKY—Scotch in case;

OLD TOM—Altona in case;

GIN—Anchor Brand in case;

GINGER BRANDY—In one dozen cases;

JUNIPER CORDIAL—In case;

SHERRY—In case;

CURACOA, ANNISEED, etc., etc.,

And a general assortment of English Goods.

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Blankets, Blankets, Blankets.

THE UNDERSIGNED, AGENTS FOR several of the Yorkshire manufacturers, are constantly receiving shipments of Blankets, especially manufactured for this market, and have now a large stock of the same on hand, of

Colors, Weights, Qualities and Sizes,

Which they offer for sale.

jul19 6m JANION & GREEN.

St. John's Church.

THE CHURCHWARDEN WILL ATtend at the Vestry on the following days, and at the hours mentioned below, for the letting of Seats for the ensuing year, viz.:

On Tuesday, from 4 to 5 P. M.

On Wednesday and Thursday, from 12 to 1 P. M., and

On Friday, at 8 P. M., directly after Services.

Seat Rents payable half yearly, in advance.

Persons already holding seats are particularly requested to notify the Rector or Churchwarden, either personally or in writing, whether they intend to retain their seats, as difficulty and confusion might otherwise arise. Such notice, if possible, should be sent before Tuesday afternoon. se28 1w

Charts of Haro and Rosario Straits,

FROM SURVEYS MADE BY CAPT. RICHARDS and the Officers of H. M. S. Humper, received by the last steamer

Also, Official Maps of the Town of Victoria and the surveyed Districts of VANCOUVER ISLAND.

Also, a new Official Map of BRITISH COLUMBIA.

HIBBEN & CARSWELL,
Stationers' Hall, Yates street.
se28 1m

JAS. N. THAIN & CO.,

Commission Merchants,

WHARF STREET,

VICTORIA, V. I.

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Winter Evening Lectures,

1861 AND 1862.

A PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE HELD on TUESDAY NEXT, the 1st of October, at Moore's Hall, Yates street, at 7 o'clock, P. M., when the object of the Lectures will be explained.

Mr. Sproat in the chair.

Victoria, Sept 24, 1861. se25 tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

VICTORIA

OCTBER RACE MEETING.

3d and 4th of October.

FIRST DAY.

TRIAL STAKES of $10 each, $30 added; mile heats. Three years old, 8 st 4 lbs; Four years old, 9 st 2 lbs; five and upwards, 9 st 8 lbs; previous winner, 5 lbs extra.

MATCH $100 ASIDE, Black John and Soda Water.

VICTORIA HANDICAP of $50 each, with $200 added, $25 forfeit, and $5 only if declared within three days after the publication of the weights for horses of all denominations. Mile heats; the second horse to save his stake.

	st	lb
Mr. Dupre's Volunteer. (7 years)	8	9
Capt. Stuart's Gray Arrow, (7 years)	9	2
Mr. Robert's Silvertail, (6 years)	10	6

INN-KEEPERS' PLATE—$15 each, $50 added; mile heats, best three in five Weight for age; winners of stakes of the value of $100, 7 lbs extra; second horse to save his stakes.

SECOND DAY.

BEACON HILL SWEEPSTAKES of $60 each, half forfeit, with $200 added for horses of all denominations. 3 years old, 7 st 2 lbs; 4 years old, 8 st 7 lbs; 5 years and upwards, 9 st 2 lbs. Winner of stake of the value of $200, 7 lbs extra; twice, 12 lbs extra. Two miles; the second horse to save his stake.

	age	st	lb
Gray Arrow	7	9	2
Volunteer	7	9	2
Silvertail	6	10	0

THE STEWARDS' PLATE—of $50, added to a Handicap of $15 each; half forfeit and only $2½ if declared; best three in five; to close by 6 P M on the 28th inst. Weights will be published on the 30th.

NAVAL PLATE—Value $100 or upwards, added to a Sweepstake of $10 each, mile-and-a-half, to be ridden by Naval Officers and members of the Club; weight 11 stones. All horses entered for the Victoria Handicap disqualified. All entries to close at 9 P. M. on the 2d of October.

THE SCRAMBLE—for $25, added to a Sweepstakes of $2½ each; half mile heats; previous winners disqualified. Weight for age. Post Entry.

N. B. Two horses must start in each race or no public money will be added. Entries to close at 9 P. M. October 2d, at which time colors must named.

ADMISSION to Enclosure and Grand Stand, one dollar; Stewards' Stand, $5. Tickets obtainable at the Club Room, Brown Jug, where all business in connection with the Races will be transacted until further notice.

TICKETS for fruit stands, &c, at $5 each, will be issued on application at the Club Rooms

Sites for THREE REFRESHMENT BOOTHS will be let by public auction at Mr. McCrea's Salerooms, at 12 o'clock, M., on Wednesday, the 25th inst., conditions previously read.

HANDICAPPERS.

D. B. RING, Esq.
H. B. CAMPBELL, Esq.

H. B. CAMPBELL.
se21 Hon'y Secretary.

EDGAR & AIME

OFFER FOR SALE, AT THEIR OLD STAND,

Wharf Street, Near Yates,

In Lots to Suit.

EX BARKENTINE W B SCANTON,
BARK IONIA,
BARK GLIMPSE.
STMR SIERRA NEVADA.

FLOUR—Magnolia Mills, Island Mills, Albion Mills, do Self-Rising.

BACON—Extra clear, IXL in hhds, New York in cases, Boston in hhds, Oregon extra heavy sides.

PORK—Extra clear Pork in ½ bbls.

HAMS—Billing's Hams 1861, Oregon Hams, Oregon Shoulders, Billing's patent-covered Shoulders.

LARD—J H & Co's in 10-lb tins, P & H's in 10-lb tins, Childs' in 20-lb buckets, Oregon in kegs and tins.

BUTTER—Isthmus, June 1861, Oregon in brine and kits, Oregon in cases, F in diamond in firkins.

CORN-MEAL—¼ and ½ sacks.

BUCKWHEAT—¼ and ½ sacks.

COD FISH—No 1 in drums.

MACKEREL—Eastern in kits, large, No 1's, California in kits.

SYRUP—East Boston in 5s, do do 8s, New York 8s

MOLASSES—S I in barrels.

DRIED APPLES, LAYER RAISINS, CHILE PEACHES, ZANTE CURRANTS, APPLES IN TINS, OREGON APPLES, PRESERVED PEACHES, PRESERVED PINE APPLE, WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.

RICE.

China Rice,
Carolina Rice in barrels,
do do in ½ barrels.

MATCHES.

R W Matches in tins,
Vienna Matches.

SARDINES ¼s and ⅛s,
Sail Twine,
Wrapping Twine,
Wrapping Paper, straw,
Wrapping Paper, Manilla.

CANDLES.

Candles, Thain's; Candles, ne plus ultra; Candles, chemical sperm; Candles, Macey's patent, in cartoons.

SUGAR.

Sugar Crushed, in barrels;
Sugar Crushed, in ½ barrels;
Sugar Crushed, in boxes;
Sugar Powdered, in boxes.

YEAST POWDERS—Preston & Merrill's, Boardman's.

SOAP,

Fay's, Hills, Dyer's, Colgate's, Jones', and Genuine Castile Soap

BROOMS, Nos 1, 2 and 3;
CALIFORNIA CHEESE in cases,
ENGLISH CHEESE in tins
BLACK AND GREEN

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IN BOXES AND CHESTS.

COFFEE.

Rio Coffee, Java Coffee,
Chartres Ground Coffee, Manilla Coffee,
Old Java Ground Coffee, Bovee's Gr'nd Coffee.

TABLE SALT, in 5s.

VINEGAR AND PICKLES.

Vinegar in barrels,
Vinegar in ½ barrels,
Vinegar in 10-gallon kegs,
Vinegar in 5-gallon kegs,
Pickles, in 5-gal kgs,
Pickles in 8gal kegs.

OYSTERS,

Fields' Oysters, Kennett's Oysters,
H B & Co's Oysters.

And a full Assortment of Case Goods of all kinds and descriptions.

Also, an Invoice of

Dessicated and Compressed Meats and Vegetables,

As put up by the American Dessicating Company of New York.

se26 1mis EDGAR & AIME.

Loan on Bottomry.

£1,000, OR THEREABOUTS.

WANTED, TO BORROW THE ABOVE sum to pay the expenses and disbursements of the ship True Briton, which vessel is now at Esquimalt, and is bound thence to Seabeck to load a cargo of spars for Great Britain. Persons wishing to advance the above amount upon bottomry are requested to send in tenders stating the marine premium required. Address to Capt. W. R. Norrscott, at E. Stamp & Co.'s, Wharf street, on or before the 24th inst.

Victoria, Vancouver Island, 20th Sept., 1861.
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PIANOS.

FOR SALE, TWO SEMI-COTTAGE Pianos, 6½ octaves, in perfect condition and tune, by

se5 1m HENDERSON & BURNABY.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Wednesday Morning, Oct. 2, 1861.

House of Assembly.

THUESDAY, Oct. 2, 1861.

House met at 3 : 30, P. M. Present—Speaker Helmcken, and Messrs. Franklin, Cary, Tolmie, Burnaby, Southgate, Coles, Crease, McDonald.

BANKRUPTCY BILL.

Mr. Cary moved the second reading of the Bankruptcy Bill and explained its principal features at considerable length. The appointment of a Commissioner in Bankruptcy, he said, would be no additional expense to the Colony; but he hoped that the revenue derived from Bankruptcy cases would be very slight. The object had in view in framing the bill was to give the Colony a Bankruptcy Act which would last for years and years; the machinery was inexpensive. If a debtor had nothing it was useless to keep him in jail, and bail may be taken for his appearance at court. The jailor is to make a monthly return of all debtors in prison; and at the last examination of the bankrupt the court will make an order for his discharge; but if he has been guilty of fraud, he may be proceeded against for misdemeanor. The bankrupt may make arrangements with his creditor independent of the bill, if the latter agree. The Chief Justice would act as judge of Bankruptcy; the Registrar of the Supreme Court as Registrar of Bankruptcy, and the Sheriff. as Messenger. The present staff of officials would be able to transact all the business of the Court of Bankruptcy, in connection with their present duties, for years to come. There would be some trifling amendments to offer in committee, which would not, however, alter the spirit of the bill.

Mr. Crease seconded the bill; but thought some clauses of a beneficial character might be introduced in committee of the whole. The principle of the bill was correct; it was an endorsement of the opinion of the great mercantile community at home, and could not fail in producing good results.

Mr. Franklin alluded to the Canadian and California Acts. The former gave the bankrupt £50; the latter gave him £100 with many other privileges. He thought this bill should give the bankrupt £50 after everything was given up. What would be considered rash speculation—sending goods to Cariboo?

Mr. Cary replied that of all the Canadian Statutes, the Bankruptcy Act was one which gave rascality the greatest chance. The rash and hazardous nature of speculation must always be measured by circumstances.

The bill passed a second reading and was sent to a committee of the whole.

WAYS AND MEANS.

In committee on Ways and Means, Mr. Franklin in the chair.

The amendment to the Trades' License Act, which fixed the rate of half-yearly tax on all parties doing business of over £10,000 per annum at 50*l.* was considered.

Mr. Tolmie moved that the following scale be adopted: From £5000 to 10,000*l.*, 15.; 10,000*l.* to 20,000*l.*, 25*l.*; 20,000*l.* to 30,000*l.*, 35*l.*; 30,000*l.* to 40,000*l.*, 45*l.*; 40,000 to 50,000*l.*, 55*l.*; over 50,000*l.*, 60*l.*

Mr. Cary proposed as a substitute that every business over £20,000 per annum should pay £50 half-yearly license.

No new ground from that taken at the previous sitting, when the same amendments were under discussion, came up. Quite a breeze occurred during the debate between Mr. Helmcken and Mr. Cary, the former asserting that Mr. Cary was actuated in offering the amendment by motives anything but honest, and by feeling of mercenary spite.

Mr. Cary asked for the protection of the Chair. He did not know in what manner he had offended the honorable member, unless it was in stumbling against the Hudson Bay Company.

Mr. Helmcken said he had observed the hon. Attorney-General going around to members to get their assent to the amendment before offering it.

Mr. Cary replied that the same course had been pursued last year in Committee of Ways and Means, and it was also done in the House of Commons.

After some further discussion, with regard to the propriety of the Hudson Bay Company paying a heavier tax than other traders, because they chance to do a heavier business, Mr. Tolmie's motion was put with the following result: Ayes—Crease, Coles, Tolmie, Helmcken. Noes—Cary, McDonald, Burnaby, Southgate.

The vote being a tie, the chairman, after some little consideration, voted in the affirmative, and the motion was carried.

The amendment that an additional license on persons trading casually within the Colony from places not being permanent places of business within the Colony, of £5 per annum, be also raised, was next considered and carried, and the committee rose and reported progress.

Mr. Southgate gave notice that he would propose that the Government be requested to devote a sum of money for the purpose of building sleeping cells for prisoners from H. M. navy.

The bills of Supply passed the first reading.

It was proposed that in consequence of the Agricultural Society's show, the races, etc., the House should adjourn till Monday, at 3 P. M. Carried.

The House then adjourned.

ARRIVAL OF THE ENTERPRISE.—This new steamer arrived in our harbor at an early hour yesterday morning from Olympia with a few passengers and a small freight. She is a new boat, and is fitted up in a most elegant and tasteful style. Her engines are of the low-pressure order and very powerful. She is owned and commanded by Captain Curry, and has until recently ran between Stockton and San Francisco. It is the intention of Capt. Curry to make regular semi-weekly trips to this port from the Sound with the mails and such freight as may offer. She left at half past eleven yesterday morning, for Olympia and way ports, with forty tons of freight and ten passengers, and expects to return early on Friday morning. Her regular days of arrival here will be on Tuesday and Friday of each week.

THE GILDED BAR OF LEAD.—Our readers will remember that a deal of scandal was created in San Francisco, about one year ago, by the discovery that an alleged gold bar, sent by F. A. Kohler, the fancy goods man, through Wells, Fargo & Co., to France, had turned out to be lead with a heavy coating of gilt. Kohler was compelled to pay the value of the bar—some $2000—to the Express Company, but some time after alleged that the money had been extorted from him through a conspiracy on the part of the Company, and brought suit for its recovery. The San Francisco *Bulletin* of the 19th states that the case was given to the jury on that day and a verdict for the defendants rendered.

☞ An Indian, for helping himself to a cap from the store of Mr. Solomon, Yates street, was taken in charge by officer Levy, and locked up.

☞ The number of prisoners in jail yesterday was forty-three.

☞ For want of cases, no Police Court was held yesterday.

Winter Evening Lectures Meeting.

A meeting for the purpose of explaining the object of giving a series of Lectures during the coming winter, was held in Moore's Hall last evening. About 100 persons were present. G. M. Sproat was called to the chair and James Lowe appointed Secretary.

The Chairman made some introductory remarks, after which the Rev. Mr. Glover proposed the 1st Resolution: "That a series of Lectures on interesting and improving topics will be of great benefit in stimulating a desire for intellectual improvement and in guiding and directing that desire."

Mr. Ring seconded the Resolution, which was unanimously carried.

2d Resolution was proposed by the Rev. Dr. Evans—"That such lectures will be of service in keeping many persons from less wholesome pastimes, and hence will tend to the moral improvement of the people."

Seconded by the Rev. Mr. Woods and carried unanimously.

Archdeacon Wright proposed the 3d Resolution:

"That it is desirable that any balance which may remain in the hands of the Committee, received on account of these lectures, after defraying the expenses of the lectures, shall be applied to form the nucleus of a public library in Victoria."

Mr. J. T. Little was strongly of opinion that a public library was a great want, and that collections should be made for the purpose of establishing one immediately.

The 3d resolution was then put before the meeting, and carried unanimously,

The 4th resolution, proposed by Mr. De Cosmos—"That the present meeting will support these lectures by all the means in its power."

Seconded by Mr. Dennes.

Mr. De Cosmos was in favor of the committee issuing season tickets to the lectures at $5 for the season; so that a fund should be at once formed for establishing a library. De Cesmos hoped that *family* tickets would be issued.

The 4th resolution was then put and carried.

Bishop Hills proposed a vote of sincere and hearty thanks to the chairman for his excellent conduct in the chair; which was duly seconded and carried, and the meeting adjourned.

AGRICULTURAL AND HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY EXHIBITION.—The first exhibition of this new but flourishing Society will be held to-day. The show will prove highly interesting to those of our citizens who may favor it with their presence, and cannot result otherwise than beneficially to all classes in this Colony, by directing public attention to the agricultural resources and fertile soil of the Island. The show will be held in the Victoria Market enclosure. Last evening many of the stalls were converted temporarily into pens, and we noticed some very choice breeds of sheep and swine, several fine bulls, cows, heifers and calves; and mammoth pumpkins, squashes, and other vegetables. The Committee, we feel assured, will exert themselves to their utmost in contributing to the success of the show, and we can promise any person visiting it a very pleasant and profitable time. The dinner will be held at Ringo's at 6 o'clock in the evening.

NIGHT-PROWLERS THRASHED.—A couple of Indian scamps, who had been prowling about Laurel Point for several nights, with the intent, no doubt, of stealing whatever valuables they could lay their hands on, were observed by a citizen lurking about his house on Monday night. After watching them for some time, the citizen saw enough to convince him that they were up to no good, and procuring a stout cudgel, he sallied forth and administered a sound thrashing to each of them, and they slunk off, apparently perfectly convinced that they must seek in future a neighborhood more congenial to the prosecution of their depredations.

FOUNDRY.—Dougal & Son have just completed an iron front for Wells, Fargo & Co.'s new building, which is pronounced one of the finest in the country by competent judges. The firm have every facility for turning out castings of all descriptions, at a cheaper rate than the same can be imported from San Francisco, and we really think that those contemplating building should encourage our own manufacturers in preference to seeking a foreign market, especially when the work can be done here at a much less price.

ARRIVAL OF THE EMILY W. SAYBURN.—The brig Emily W. Sayburn, Captain Howe, arrived yesterday from San Francisco, with 125 tons of freight and nine passengers. She reports having encountered pleasant weather on the voyage, and made the trip in fifteen days. We believe she will go hence to one of the mills for lumber.

DIARRHŒA AT THE PRISON.—Some ten of the prisoners at the jail are severely afflicted with the diarrhœa. One has been sent to the hospital and others are so ill as to be unable to work. It is not known from what cause the complaint proceeds, but so far as the prison is concerned, it has almost assumed the form of an epedemic.

THE "OTTER."—The steamer Otter, with 100 tons of freight, fifteen passengers, and a few sheep and swine, left for New Westminster last evening.

THE GERMANS IN MISSOURI.—The following paragraph is going the rounds of the papers:

Talk as we may of American patriotism and courage, the Germans thus far in the conflict have shown themselves far the superiors of the native-born citizens. It is brave, I acknowledge, to face the enemy on the battle-field and never flinch, but it is even braver to face a strong public sentiment and do what you think is right, regardless of the consequences.' This the Germans of St. Louis will do every time. I verily believe they would express their sentiments even were the Secessionists of this city three times as formidable.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

Oct 1—Stmr Enterprise, Curry, Port Townsend
Stmr Henrietta, Hardy, Nanaimo
Brigt Emily Seyburn, Howe, San Francisco
Sloop Carswell, Lawrence, Port Townsend
Canoe Alfred, Dunn, San Juan

CLEARED.

Oct 1—Stmr Otter, Mount, New Westminster
Stmr Enterprise, Curry, Port Townsend
Sloop Carswell, Lawrence, Port Townsend
Canoe Alfred, Lawrence, Port Townsend

IMPORTS

Per brigantine EMILY SEYBURN, from San Francisco—34 pgs preserves, 14 cs furniture, 6 pgs mdse, 5 cs boots, 7 do shirts and clothing, 16 stoves and apparatus, 3 bdls frying pans, 4 cases mdse, 2 stoves, 55 cs claret, 22 do mdse, 23 stoves and 24 pipes, 33 kegs nails, 12 grind stones, 8 cs hardware, 18 pgs groceries, 120 qr sacks flour, 24 pgs mdse, 500 sacks barley, 20 qr cks whisky, 376 cs do, 16 do boots and shoes, 8 do mdse, 1 do shirts, 28 pgs camphene, 1 cs cigars, 9 do boots and shoes, 1 bbl coal oil. Value, $8637 16.

Per steamer ENTERPRISE, from Port Townsend—200 gals coal oil, 10 horses. Value, $1200.

J. L. JUNGERMANN,
Chronometer, Watchmaker and Jeweler,

YATES STREET OPPOSITE LANGLEY

BEING A PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER and Jeweler, in all the branches, and having had many years' experience at the business in California, England, France and Germany, the undersigned offers his services to Victorians, and the Colony at large, warranting all work performed by him to be done in a workmanlike and substantial manner. A small but well selected assortment of

Watches, Jewelry and Clocks

Always on hand and for sale at reasonable rates.
se3 2p J. L. JUNGERMANN.

NOTICE.

IT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED that all parties being owners of dogs are requested not to allow them to run at large on the Race Course during the Race days, as all dogs found on the Course will be destroyed. oct

BRITISH AMERICAN HOTEL,

Cor. Yates and Douglas streets,

VICTORIA, V. I.

Conducted on Temperance Principles.

Board per Week ....$6 00 | Lodging per Week, $1 00
" Day .....1 00 | to $3 00.
Single Meals ..... 50 | Lodgings per Night, 50c.
Board and Lodging per Week, $6 50 to $9 00.
se28 1m R. PARKER, Proprietor.

Winter Evening Lectures,
1861 and 1862.

A SERIES OF LECTURES WILL BE delivered in Victoria during the Winter. The lecturers will choose their own subjects. Further particulars will be announced.

Managing Committee: { O. GLOVER. G. M. SPROAT. J. R. STEWART.
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YALE'S
British Columbian Express

WILL MAKE REGULAR

WEEKLY TRIPS

FROM

Victoria to Douglas, Hope and Yale.

Treasure taken at the lowest rate of charges, and Letters and Light Packages delivered with dispatch. The patronage of the business public is respectfully solicited.

LEON L. YALE.

☞ Victoria Office at Frauenthal's Clothing Store, Yates street, near Wharf. se30 1m

BRODRICK'S
COAL DEPOT.

R. BRODRICK BEGS RESPECTFULLY to inform the public of Victoria that he has opened at St. Ours' Wharf a Coal Depot, where he is prepared to supply a superior quality of Screened Coal at moderate prices.

Having had six years' experience in the Coal business in San Francisco, he hopes to be able to give entire satisfaction to those who favor him with their orders.

As the Coal is constantly kept under cover, families can depend upon being supplied with clean, dry Coal through the winter.

Orders forwarded to the Coal Office at St. Ours' Wharf will be filled at an hour's notice to any part of the town or vicinity. se27 1m

EXTRA FLOUR,

SELECTED BY MYSELF IN OREGON, and warranted just the thing

FOR BAKER'S USE,

Also, various brands

Common and Superfine FLOUR,

Suitable for Jobbing and Indian Trade.

I am in receipt of the above ex every steamer, and will be happy to sell at lowest market rates.

GOSHEN AND FRESH BUTTER, eggs, lard, bacon hams, and a well selected stock of choice California Groceries, always on hand.

Boatmen, Restaurant and Housekeepers, are solicited to favor me with their patronage, as they will always find good goods and cheap.

B. DERHAM,
Baker and Grocer.
22 Johnson street, below Waddington alley.
au17 3m

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EX "KAFFIR CHIEF,"
From London.

BLACK GLACE SILKS, ALPACAS, Haberdashery, Olive Oil, Bright Varnish, White Lead, Pie Fruits, Mustards, Sauces, Plated Ware, Table Cutlery, Brushes, etc.

Brandy, Rum, Whisky, &c.

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HENRY NATHAN,
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Yates Street, Victoria,
DEALER IN
English and American Saddlery.

ALWAYS ON HAND, A GOOD ASSORTment of Carriage and Team Harness, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Saddles, Spanish do., Whips, Spurs, Leather Saddleware, &c se25 3m

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(Of the late firm of Allan, Lowe & Co., San Francisco
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MISCELLANEOUS.

Agricultural & Horticultural
SOCIETY
—OF—
VANCOUVER ISLAND.

THE FIRST ANNUAL EXHIBITION of this Society will be held in Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of OCTOBER, 1861, at which the following premiums will be awarded, viz:—

CLASS A.

SECTION 1—BULLS.

For the best yearling, calved after the 1st January, 1860,.....$10 00
For the 2nd best do do 3 00
For the 3d best do do Honorary Certificate.
For the best two years old, calved after the 1st January, 1859,..... 5 00
For the 2nd best do do 3 00
For the 3d best do do Honorary Certificate.
For the best three years old, calved after the 1st January, 1858,..... 2 00
For the 2nd best do do 1 00
For the best Bull of any age,..... 5 00

SECTION 2—HEIFERS AND COWS.

For the best yearling, calved after the 1st January, 1860,.....$ 3 00
For the 2nd best do do 1 00
For the best two-year old, calved after the 1st January, 1859,..... 5 00
For the 2nd best do do 3 00
For the best three-year old, calved after the 1st January, 1858, ... 3 00
For the 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best Cow of any age,..... 5 00

SECTION 3—RAMS.

For the best Ram Lamb, lambed after the 1st of January, 1861,.....$ 5 00
For the 2nd best do do 3 00
For the best Hogget or Gimmer, lambed after the 1st January, 1860,..... 10 00
For the 2nd best do do 5 00
For the best 2 shear, lambed after the 1st January, 1859,..... 2 00
For the 2nd best do do 1 00
For the best Ram of any age,..... 5 00

SECTION 4—EWES AND LAMBS.

For the best pen of 5 lambs, lambed after the 1st January, 1861,.....$ 5 00
For the 2nd best do do 3 00
For the best pen of 5 ewes,..... 8 00
For the 2nd best do 3 00
For the best two samples of wool:
The best fleece of fine wool,..... 5 00
" " by length of staple,..... 5 00

SECTION 5—STALLIONS.

For the best Stallion for agricultural purposes,$10 0
For the 2nd best do do 5 0
For the best thorough bred Stallion,..... 5 0
For the 2nd best do do 3 0

SECTION 6—BROOD MARES.

For the best brood Mare for agricultural purposes,.....$10 00
For the 2nd best do do 5 00
For the best thorough bred brood Mare,..... 5 00
For 2nd bes do do 3 00

SECTION 7—BOARS.

For the best Boar,.....$10 00
For 2nd best do 5 00

SECTION 8—SOWS.

For the best brood Sow,..... 0 00
For 2nd best do 5 00
For the best Sow with sucking litter,..... 10 00
For 2nd best do do 5 00

CLASS B.

SECTION 9.

For the best bushel of Wheat,.....$3
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best bushel of Barley,..... 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best bushel of Oats,..... 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best bushel of field Peas,..... 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best bushel of field Beans,..... 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best samples of Timothy, Clover, Rye, and Grass Seeds, in quantities of not less than one peck, each..... 2 00
For the best samples of Garden Seeds,..... 3 00

SECTION 10—FIELD GROWTH.

For the best 6 field growth Swedish Turnips..$ 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best 6 Bullock Turnips,..... 3 00
For 2nd best 6 do do 2 00
For the best 6 roots of Manglewurtzel,..... 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best Carrots, 12 roots,..... 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best bushel of Potatoes produced..... 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best 12 Parsnips,..... 3 00
For 2nd best do 2 00
For the best 6 Cabbage-heads,..... 3 00
For 2nd best 6 do 2 00

CLASS C.

SECTION 11—DAIRY PRODUCE.

For the best Butter, not less than 5 lbs,.....$ 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best Cheese, not less than 5 lbs,..... 3 00
For 2nd best do do 2 00
For the best flitch of Bacon,..... 3 00
For the best Ham,..... 2 00

CLASS D.

SECTION 12—FRUIT & VEGETABLE—GARDEN PRODUCE.

For the best 10 Apples,.....$ 2 00
do do Pears,..... 2 00
do do Quinces,..... 2 00
do do 2 lbs Cherries,..... 2 00
do do do Gooseberries,..... 2 00
do do 6 lbs Tomatoes,..... 2 00
do do 2 heads of Cabbage of the varieties cultivated—each variety. 2 00
do do 1 bunch carrots 2 00
do do 1 bunch Beets,..... 2 00
do do 1 bunch Parsnips,..... 2 00
do do 6 heads Cellery,..... 2 00
do do 6 fruit of the Egg Plant. 2 00
do do 2 heads of Cauliflower,..... 2 00
do do 2 sweet Melons,..... 2 00
do do 2 Water Melons,..... 2 00
do do 2 Squashes,..... 2 00

CLASS E.

SECTION 13—POULTRY.

For the best pair of Turkeys,.....$ 3 00
do do Geese,..... 2 00
do do Ducks,..... 2 50
do do Fowls,..... 2 50
do do Rabbits,..... 2 50
For the best doz Eggs,..... 2 00
For the 2nd best do 1 00

CLASS F.

SECTION 14—AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

Exhibited by the manufacturer or others, to be admitted free of charge, and shall receive a judge's Honorary Certificate.

CLASS G.

SECTION 15—FLOWERS.

For the best boquet of Flowers,.....$ 5 00
For the 2nd best do do 2 00

Regulations of the Show-Yard.

All Cows, Heifers, Mares, Sheep and Pigs, also al Agricultural Implements, must be taken to the Show-yard between the hours of 2 and 7, P. M., the evening previous to the Show.

All Stallions and Bulls, also Vegetables, Fruits, Flowers, etc., etc., must be taken into the Show-yard between the hours of 5 and 6, A. M., on the day of the exhibition. Exhibitors to provide feed.

The Judges of the different Departments will commence their duties at 7 o'clock in the morning and will finish at 10, at which hour the public will be admitted by paying the sum of one dollar.

At 2 o'clock the show-yard will be open to the public free, and at 2½ the auction of animals and other produce will commence.

The owner has the privilege of putting an up-set price upon each animal or other produce to be disposed of.

Resident non-subscribers by paying an Entrance fee of two dollars will be allowed the privilege of competing at the Society's Show of 1861.

All foreign Bulls, Stallions, Rams and Boars, also Agricultural Implements, will be allowed to compete free of Entrance fees at the Society's Show of 1861.

Every Exhibitor of field Peas, Beans, Grain, and Green Crops, shall have a label upon each, stating,

Where the seed was obtained,

The number of acres, roods or perches from which the samples were selected,

What crops preceded it,

What manure was applied,

And what was the produce per acre, rood or perch.

The Secretary should get fifteen days' notice from each exhibitor stating accurately the number of animals and their ages, also the other products he or she intends to exhibit,

The Judges are instructed to award no premiums where they consider the animals or other produce not worthy of such distinction.

The members of the Society, on producing their cards, shall be admitted into the show yard after the Judges have completed their duties.

All Cereals, Vegetables, Fruits, and Flowers to be of Island growth of this year, and those to which prizes are awarded, to be the property of the Society.

The Bacon and Ham to be Island produce.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The following gentlemen have kindly consented to act as Judges at the forthcoming exhibition of the Association:

FOR CLASS A, Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4—Messrs. K. Mckenzie, T. J. Skinner, and Thomas Harris.

Sections 5 and 6—Messrs. G. T, Gordon, A. F. Pemberton, J. D, Pemberton, John Parker and Com. Robson, R. N.

Sections 7 and 8—Messrs. John Coles, A. F. Pemberton and Wm. Wall.

CLASS B. Sections 9 and 10—Messrs. J. G. Lammiester, P. M. Backus, H. N. Peers, D. Lenevue and Wm. Wall.

CLASS C and E—Messrs. J. A. McCrea, Chas. Bailey, D Lenevue, W. B. Smith, and J. Coles.

CLASS D and G—Messrs. H. P. P. Crease, A. C. Anderson, G. Gladwin, H. N. Peers, and J. S. Lowe.

CLASS F—Messrs. McKenzie, Skinner, John Tod, Wm. Wall and James Tod.

GENERAL COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT—Messrs. D'Ewes, Cochrane and Pidwell.

All persons intending to exhibit will take notice that at least one week prior to the Exhibition, the Secretary must be informed of what is intended to be exhibited.

The New Market Company has liberally granted the use of the Market to the Society for the Exhibition.

By order,
J. T. PIDWELL, Secretary.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

DAY BEACON.

FALSE DUNGENESS HARBOR, W. T.

ON THE SIXTH DAY OF AUGUST A *Day Beacon* will be exhibited for the first time on Ediz Hook, or Point Angeles, the eastern terminus of the long, low sand spit bounding False Dungeness Harbor, on the North.

The Beacon will consist of an *upright pole*, supported by struts and armed between its top and centre with *three sets of wings* of different shapes, these latter determining its characteristic distinction, the surface of each being presented to a separate point of the compass: the *color* of the entire beacon will be *white*. It will be *fifty feet in height*; the platform upon which it is erected being only a few feet above the mean level of the sea.

The Beacon should be *visible*, in a favorable state of the atmosphere, at a distance of *eight nautical* or *nine and a half statute miles*:

Latitude of Beacon - - 48°08′ } Approximately
Longitude " " - - 123°25′ }
In time " " - - 8h 13′40″ }

The Light House at Race Rocks Bears from Ediz Hook W. N. W. (magnetic), distant eleven nautical miles.

The Light House at New Dungeness, N. E. ¼ E., (magnetic), distant eleven nautical miles.

Victoria lies nearly due North (true) from Ediz Hook, and is distant about seventeen nautical miles.

Variation of Magnetic Needle - - - - 2° 5′ east.

Cape Flattery Light, Tatoosh Island, W. T.

The *lens* of this Light has been enlarged by an *additional section*, increasing the arc of illumination, and exhibiting the light farther up the *Straits of Juan de Fuca*.

The *Block House* on the Island has also been removed.

By authority of the Light House Board,
N. MICHLER,
au22 Engineer 12th L. H. District.

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Colony of Vancouver Island.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Harbor Master's Office until the 5th of next month for Removing, Cleaning and Painting eight Iron Buoys in Victoria Harbor, and one Spar Buoy on Brochie's Ledge.

Buoys to be replaced in original position.

Also for Painting Harbor Master's Boat.

Specifications can be seen at the Harbor Master's Office.

All Tenders to be by letter, sealed, distinctly endorsed, and addressed to

JEREMIAH NAGLE.
Harbor Master's Office, Sept. 27th, 1861. se28

J. Frauenthal & Co.,
Yates Street, next to Wharf,

RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE public in general that they have just opened with a New Stock of Merchandise, consisting of Clothing, Dry Goods, Blankets, Boots and Shoes, and a General Assortment of Yankee Notions, suitable for Indian trade, which we offer for sale at low prices for Cash—Wholesale and Retail
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"Tell LEA & PERRINS that their Sauce is highly esteemed in India, and is, in my opinion, the most palatable, as well as the most wholesome Sauce that is made.'

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L & P. having discovered that several of the Foreign Markets have been supplied with SPURIOUS IMITATIONS of the "WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE," the labels of which closely resemble those of the genuine Sauce, and in one or more instances with the names of L. & P. FORGED, they have deemed it their duty to caution the public, and to request purchasers to see that the names of LEA & PERRINS are upon the Wrapper, Lable, Stopper and Bottle.

L. & P. further give notice that they will proceed against any one who may infringe upon their right, either by manufacturing or vending such imitations, and have instructed their correspondents in the various parts of the world to advise them of such infringements.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

Vancouver Island.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 4th July, 1861.

The following important notice to Mariners, communicated to this Government by the Naval Commander-in-Chief, is hereby published for general information.

By command of His Excellency the Governor.
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

A rock has been recently discovered in Houston channel, by H. M. gunboat Grappler. It lies about one quarter of a mile from the N. W. side of Admiral Island—is about a cable's length in extent, and enarly uncovers at very low tides. From the south end of the rock, Point Southey (the north point of Admiral Island) bears N. N. E.½ E. White Spit (N. W point of Kuper Island) bears N. W.

T. MAITLAND,
Rear Admiral and Commander-in-Chief.
H. M. S. Bacchante, Esquimalt, 1st July, 1861. se5

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE THIRTY DAYS ALLOWED BY the provisions of this Act for the payment of all liabilities due under the same, will terminate on Saturday next, the 7th instant.

G. T. GORDON, Treasurer
Treasury, August 31st, 1861. se2

ROBERT HOMFRAY,

Governme tSurveyor for British Columbia.

CIVIL ENGINEER,
Land & Mining Surveyor

(Late County Surveyor of Nevada Country, California, and of the Land Office, Victoria)

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Underground Surveys and Sections of Mines—Laying out Railroads, Canals, Ditches, Tunnels Roads Bridges, Flumes, Dams, Reservoirs, &c.

MR. HOMFRAY HAS STUDIED Engineering for some time under the late celebrated English Engineer J. K. Brunel, Esq., (from whom he has testimonials) having previously acquired a thorough knowledge of Surveying during a residence of several years with one of the most practical surveyors in England, and has since been extensively engaged in Placer and Quartz Mining and Surveying; also as Engineer of Mining Works, including nearly 350 miles of canal or miners's ditch and some 60 miles of tunnelling in Yuba, Mariposa, Placer, Nevada, Tuolumne and Sierra Counties, California. se11 1m*

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Yates street,
offers for sale, cheap,

HARDWARE,
Agricultural Implements
Bar Iron, Steel & Iron-Mongery,
STOVE & TINWARE
of every description.

Glass and Crockery Ware, Wood and Willow Ware &c. &c. se15

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